

Biography

Sergeant First Class Andy Leake

Demonstration Parachutist, Gold Demonstration Team,
U.S. Army Parachute Team, "Golden Knights"



Personal Statistics

- ◆ Born: May 3, 1970
- ◆ Hometown: Amboy, Illinois
- ◆ School attended: Amboy High School (1988)

Biographical Sketch

Sgt. 1st Class Andy Leake is a signal systems supervisor serving as a demonstration parachutist with the Gold Demonstration Team. This is his second year as a Golden Knight.

He enlisted into the Army in 1988 as a signal systems operator and later graduated from the Army's grueling Ranger Course.

Leake's military career has led him to assignments in Fort Lewis, Washington, Eglin Air Force Base, Florida and Fort Riley, Kansas, as well as Fort Bragg, North Carolina.

Leake attended the challenging Golden Knight Assessment and Selection Program in 2001 and was 'knighted' into the elite unit. Leake has completed more than 900 freefall parachute jumps.

In addition to skydiving, Leake is also an avid golfer.



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